

The French Broad Hustler

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"PEACE, SWEET PEACE."

Peace between Russia and Japan has been concluded. The Japanese receded from their demands for indemnity and for the repurchase of the northern half of Sakhalin, Russia at the same time agreeing to the division of the island. The Japanese withdrew articles ten and eleven of the peace conditions originally proposed for the surrender of the interned war ships and limitation of the Russian naval power in the Far East. Barring these recessions, Japan won on every point. She gains the Kingdom of Korea, Port Arthur and the Kiao-Tung peninsula and drives Russia out of Manchuria, thus restoring that province to China, and also opening its doors to the trade of the world. Japan also almost doubles the strength of her navy by ships captured from Russia. Everything for which Japan fought has been won.

As the news that the plenipotentiaries had agreed to conclude peace spread through the city of Portsmouth—and all the church bells began to ring and there was general rejoicing.

Throughout the late afternoon and evening of the agreement messages of congratulation by the core poured in upon the president from people both in America and in Europe. The great part played in bringing about the success of the conference and in promoting the interests of civilization is recognized throughout the world, as is indicated by the cordiality and wide range covered by the congratulatory dispatches.

Japan gains Korea, Port Arthur and the Lion-Tung peninsula, half of the island of Sakhalin, Russia is driven out of Manchuria and the province restored to China, Japan falling heir to certain immensely valuable railroads built by Russia in the province. Besides, the strength of the Japanese navy has been almost doubled by ships captured from Russia.

But in the diplomatic contest for peace Russia has been the gainer. The demands Japan first submitted were not unreasonable and should have been acceded to by the conference at Portsmouth. Little Japan has certainly won the admiration of the world and was entitled to everything she asked for. Too many precious lives were sacrificed in the struggle for anything akin to a compromise as a final adjustment of the differences. She should have had heavy indemnity and the interned war ships.

However, it is all over now and the world can breathe easier. It has been a bloody war and no power on earth should have desired a continuance. Japan has won glory, while Russia is discredited. Perhaps this is victory enough after all.

There are some people who recollect that when President Roosevelt spoke in the Mormon tabernacle at Salt Lake city, he omitted to say anything on his favorite topic of "Wifehood and motherhood." Under these circumstances his silence was audible. But it must not be forgotten that there is no danger of race suicide in Utah.

One of the foremost living Republicans, ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, said in an address recently. It has been reported that the Secretary of the Navy has announced himself as in favor of a navy equal to the greatest navy in the world. I trust he has been misquoted. This country should hold itself to far more peaceful pursuits in the settlement of strife than to the making of implements of death. Which leader will republicans follow?

Mayor Belcher of Patterson, N. J., who has been lost for some time, hopes, where ever he is that he will stay lost. He is short in his accounts.

Really there is no law against a man retiring to his closet once a day for a little laugh over Gov. Douglas' fear that the presidency would get him.

Gov. Blanchard and Gov. Vardaman might be in a better mood for discussion of their differences if they were to follow the example of the governors of the Carolinas.

One reason why Chauncey Depew is not insured in the Equitable may be that he knows so much about its management.

Secretary Taft should drop in on Tsi An, Empress of China, and ask her what she means in permitting the boycotting of American goods by China.

Public expenditures in the U. S. have increased at a rapid rate during the past few years and the voices raised in the favor of economy will have to be heeded sooner or later, for increased expenditures entail increased taxation, and where increasing taxation is concerned, there is a limit to popular endurance.

When Luke Wright, Governor-General of the Philippines, threatens banqueters in Manila, at whose table he is a guest that they will not be permitted to assemble hereafter if they discuss independence, he clearly becomes entitled to a letter of thanks from the President. He has got in line very suddenly.

FAIR SUGGESTIONS.

Read carefully list of cash subscriptions to the Fair. These are the kind of men who help to build up the country. There are others who wish the enterprise success, but just now cannot spare the money. They may later on give a lift.

Examine closely a partial list of the special premiums offered by various persons. This is done to let everybody know early what they may expect as prizes if their exhibit is the best.

If Cannon, Freeman, Patton, Rhodes, Lyda and Dr. Few do not bestir themselves between now and the Fair, the household and fancy departments will be "the attraction of the fair." Smoke that in your pipe, gentlemen!

The prospect of having an easy way to get to the fair grounds over the Laurel Park railway is one big reason why so much interest is being manifested.

Our merchants and business men have responded liberally to the managers of the Fair. Among the special premiums offered will be found several very nice, beautiful and valuable one. The Lady superintendents are loud in their praises and much encouraged in their work.

Dr. A. H. Morey has been elected Superintendent of the Floral Department in place of Mrs. Toms, who was unable to serve. Every body who has a knowledge of Dr. Morey's artistic taste and love of flowers will look forward for a display unequalled by anything ever seen in this section. The management hopes every lady in the town and country will encourage him and lend a helping hand.

THE COLONEL'S WATERLOO.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Elocic Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold, and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney Disease, by Justus Pharmacy, at 50c a bottle.

WESTERN N. C. FAIR.

LIST OF CASH PREMIUMS.

Mr. J. B. Freeman, \$17.00.
W. A. Smith, C. S. Hoobs, S. T. Hodges \$10.00 each.
A. Cannon, P. F. Patton, W. C. Connel, J. S. Rhodes, J. M. Waldrop, J. W. Wofford, Clarke Hardware Co., P. E. Braswell, Dr. Drafts, C. H. T. Blythe, G. G. Hyder, J. P. Hyder, F. A. Bly, Jesse Beale, Jr., P. D. Hefner, Joseph Noterman, S. F. Wheeler, J. F. Rickman, Hunter's Pharmacy, M. T. Justus, Williams & Toms, Phillips & Sims, Imperial Hotel, \$5.00 each.
Dr. J. G. Waldrop and W. J. Davis, \$3.00.
G. H. Valentine, J. H. Laughter, J. H. Jordan, K. G. Morris, C. M. Pace, J. A. Maddrey, T. M. Smith, Dr. J. L. Egerton, \$2.50 each.
J. M. Lyda, M. L. Reed, W. C. Reed, A. Flicker, J. L. Freeman, J. P. Case, W. B. Justice, C. E. Brooks, \$2.00 each.
W. C. Lyda, W. F. Edwards, O. V. F. Blythe, S. G. Rhodes, W. F. Dotson, E. W. Ewbank, \$1.00.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

Edwards Hardware store, one pair Keen Cutter shears for best hearth rug.
W. P. Williams, water set for best piece handwork by a girl under 14 years of age.
A. F. P. King, 24lb. sack flour for best bushel wheat.
Mrs. Eunice W. Posey, 1 pr. kid gloves for best centerpiece.
J. C. Morrow, 1 mantle, value \$3.50 for best mule colt under 1 year.
Brooks & Williams, 1 pr. \$3.50 shoes, made to order, for best fruit cake.
S. B. Mace, jeweler, one 8-day clock, for best white fruit cake.
L. Lewis & Son, New York Bargain Store, 1 linen table cloth for best citron preserves.
J. D. Davis, 1 extra heavy galvanized stock pail for best kershaw.
Stanton Bros. \$3.00 pr. ladies shoes.
Miss Nettie LaGrande, 1 lb. chocolate almonds.
F. Z. Morris & Co., 1 pr. Queen Quality shoes for best coconut cake.
Buckmeyer Bros., 6 lbs. N. Y. coffee.
Hendersonville Grocery Co. 1 bal. Tube Rose high grade flour.
R. P. Freeman, pr. men's shoes.
M. M. Shepherd, 1 pr. American Ladies shoes.
C. E. Pless one \$6.00 vase.
Gorree & Maloff, 1 hand painted \$2.00 plate for handsest embroidered centerpiece; also 1 \$2.00 Japanese vase for handsest piece of drawn work.
J. M. Stepp, 1 \$5.00 lamp for best Angora goat.
G. M. Glazener, \$3.00 hat for 2nd best horse.
H. E. Wilson, 1 rocking chair.
J. D. Boyd, 1 \$5.00 box of soap 16 varieties.
S. Johnstone, 1 \$6.50 parlor clock.
S. Johnstone, 1 pr. \$6.50 parlor vases.
Walker Smith, 20 loaves bread.
G. W. Thornton, 1 ladies burnt-wood work-box.
W. H. Hawkins & Son, 1 \$5.00 salad bowl. Salad to be designated by committee.
Mrs. A. E. Hart & Co., 1 ladies \$5.00 hat for the best display of flowers.

SPECIAL NOVELTY AT FAIR.

Mr. R. C. Clarke offers at the fair \$5.00 prize which will be duplicated for mule race. 25 cts. entrance fee for each mule—riders to be changed. Last or slowest mule to win first prize \$5.00, next to last 2nd prize \$3.00, next or 3rd slowest mule prize \$2.00. This will be a drawing card—get ready with your mules, gentlemen.

ONE OTHER VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION.
Mr. J. Willet Thomas gives to the society the use of one telephone on the grounds during fair week.

It is easy to relieve a cough or cure a cold after a copious evacuation of the bowels. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup. It acts on the bowels—expels all cold from the system and cures coughs by removing the cause. This remedy clears the phlegm and strengthens the mucous membrane of the throat, chest, lungs and bronchial tubes. The honey bee and the red clover blossom is on every bottle of Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar, the Original Laxative Cough Syrup. Sold by F. V. Hunter.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

Bank of Hendersonville,

Hendersonville, N. C.

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS Aug. 25, 1905.

RESOURCES:	LIABILITIES:
Loans and Discounts.....\$127,741.92	Capital stock.....\$ 27,000.00
Overdrafts.....232.22	Surplus fund.....14,000.00
All other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages.....500.00	Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid 4,467.45
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....500.00	Time certificates of deposit 27,528.88
Due from banks & bankers 62,620.43	Deposits subject to check 122,744.69
Cash items.....359.70	Due to Banks and Bankers.....10,940.15
Gold coin.....2,080.00	Cashier's checks outstanding.....104.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency 1,644.73	Certified Checks.....412.33
National bank notes and other U. S. notes.....11,519.00	
Total.....\$207,198.00	Total.....\$207,198.00

State of North Carolina, }
Henderson County.

I, J. A. Maddrey, cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of Sept., 1905.

Correct Attest:
J. P. RICKMAN,
GEORGE HOLMES, } Directors.

STRONG BANKING INSTITUTION

Statement Shows Increase of Business for the Bank of Hendersonville.

The management of the Bank of Hendersonville have cause for gratification on account of the splendid showing that institution has made from the beginning of its existence. Every published statement has shown a healthy growth in every feature of the business. The one printed to-day shows an increase in deposits of \$10,854.07 over last report; in surplus and undivided profits \$1,413.57 more. The cash in vault and banks is \$78,263.86, or \$25,875.36 in excess of the amount on hand May 29, when last statement was made. The last report showed the resources to be \$185,930.30; on August 25, they were \$207,198.00, an increase of \$21,267.70.

This comparison is made to show the healthy condition of business in Hendersonville. It is a real pleasure to note the very favorable "state of things" in our growing little city—no surface indication, but a genuine, substantial advance in every avenue of business. With a united, determined effort, there is no telling what can be accomplished for the town along the line of industrial progress.

City Tax Notice.

The city tax list for 1905 is now in my hands for collection, and I respectfully ask that each taxpayer will call and pay their school taxes promptly as this will be called for first and our schools cannot run without money. Please settle this tax at once and greatly oblige. Your old servant.
T. M. SMITH, City Tax Collector.
Sept. 5 1905. 4t.

The Big City Show.

A. G. Allen's Big Original New Orleans Minstrels, the Big City Show, 110 nights in Chicago playing to 245,996 paid admissions; four weeks in New Orleans; one week in Washington, D. C.; one week in Louisville, Ky.; one week in Nashville, Tenn.; one week in Atlanta Ga. In all these cities playing to the full capacity of his mammoth canvas theater, which seats over two thousand people, employing more people than any other three minstrel shows combined. Admission only 25 and 35 cents. If you want to get your money's worth go where the crowds go. The company will appear here on Tuesday, Sept. 12.

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What Are You Doing, Farmers?

Farmers go to getting ready for the Fair.

The management expects it to surpass any Fair that has ever been held here if they can get your co-operation.

The special committee held a short business meeting last Saturday, and in a few weeks will have the premium list prepared.

Over two hundred dollars in cash premiums will be paid out. The money is in sight. Larger and more premiums on live stock will be given than heretofore.

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